GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:340
ANSWERED ON:22.02.2001
PASSENGER AMENITIES AT KHAMBHALIYA RAILWAY STATION
CHANDRESH PATEL KORDIA

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received letters and memorandum from `Press Club of Jam-khambhaliya` regarding Khambhaliya railway station during the last one year;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS(SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a): Yes Sir, representations have been received for stoppage of Okha - Dehradoon express (weekly) at Khambhaliya Railway Station.

(b) & (c): Khambhaliya station is presently being served by 5 pairs of trains, which are considered adequate for the present level of traffic offering at this station. Stoppage of Okha-Dehradoon Express (weekly) at Khambhaliya station has been examined but not found commercially justified due to very meagre sale of tickets for stations beyond Ahmedabad towards Delhi. Besides, multiplicity of stoppage of this train will decelerate them, which will not be in the overall interest of through passengers.